

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

<b>THIEMS CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. and TAD THIEMS,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Plaintiffs,</b>	)	
	)	<b>Case No. 15-CV-1323-SMY</b>
<b>vs.</b>	)	
	)	
<b>UNITED FIRE &amp; CASUALTY COMPANY,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL ACTION**

This action having come before the Court, and the Court having rendered a decision,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that pursuant to the Order entered on February 15, 2021 (Doc. 136), Plaintiff's claims in Counts I-V are **DISMISSED with prejudice**.

The remaining claims against Defendant were tried by a jury with District Judge Staci M. Yandle presiding, and the jury has rendered a verdict,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that judgment is entered in favor of Plaintiff Thiems Construction Company, Inc. and against Defendant United Fire & Casualty Company on Plaintiff's claims of breach of fiduciary duty and bad faith (Counts VI and VII) in the amount of \$904,019.71. Further, an award of punitive damages is entered in favor of Plaintiff Thiems Construction Company, Inc. and against Defendant United Fire & Casualty Company in the amount of \$1,000,000.00.

Accordingly, the Clerk of Court is **DIRECTED** to close this case.

**DATED: April 8, 2021**

**MARGARET M. ROBERTIE,  
Clerk of Court**

**By: s/ Stacie Hurst  
Deputy Clerk**

**Approved: s/ Staci M. Yandle  
STACI M. YANDLE  
DISTRICT JUDGE**